Mr. P. Govinda Menon *(Ernakulam):* Yes, Sir, at 12-30 on Friday.

Mr. President: Yes. It will be taken up at 12-30 on Friday.

3. DEMANDS FOR SUPPLEMENTARY GRANTS

Raising a point of order by Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Vadakkancheri):* I would raise a point of order Sir. The point of order is this, that this morning at 10-30 alone has this supplementary agenda containing six items of supplementary demands which have been explained in one full sheet of typed matter reached me.

Mr. President: I anticipated this. I will explain the reason. It so happened that the notes on the various items of demands were received only last evening. Of course the press is not under the control of the Legislative Council office.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Vadakkancheri):* It must be brought under its control, Sir.

Mr. President: And therefore, it was possible for the members to get these official notes only today. That is the reason, and I could concede that the Hon'ble Members may not have sufficient time to consider them. If there is any special case, we can adjourn it to tomorrow. Tomorrow is a non-official day, but if the House is agreeable we can have it.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Vadakkancheri):* Sir, I for one will not be a party for that. The difficulty, regarding this supplementary demand as far as I am concerned is this. It is relating to the item of demand for transferring the General Hospital, that hoary sacred institution to that building there called the Ram Mohan Palace—I want to move a cut motion upon that after studying the note. I am against that removal and I have already stated it

Mr. President: The Hon'ble Member may throw out the whole demand.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Vadakkancheri):* I make a sharp distinction between an omni bus demand and a cut motion. I am not going to give any suggestion. I oppose the idea of taking it up now. As far as I am personally concerned I will request that this may not be taken up.

Mr. President: That one item alone.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Vadakkancheri):* I take it to be an insult, Sir, that at 10-30 we are told that the Governmrnt proposes to take up such and such a thing.

Rao Bahadur T. K. Nayar *(Prime Minister):* If the House is so very particular it may be taken up at a later date. So far as the Government are concerned they have no objection.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Vadakkancheri):* Sir, my point of order is about the method. If a ruling is necessary, it may be given, because there is no meaning in it. It is an insult to the House which I am not prepared to do.

Rao Bahadur T. K. Nayar *(Prime-Minister):* The whole agenda may be postponed for the next meeting if it is considered desirable. Government have no objection.

Mr. P. Kumarnn Ezuthassan *(Vadakkancheri):* I will exhort all non-official members to support my point.

Mr. President: As far as the Government are concerned, they are agreeable to postpone all these items for the next meeting. So we shall take them up, at the next meeting.

Rao Bahadur T. K. Nayar *(Prime Minister):* My friend Mr. Kumaran Ezhuthassan is objecting to the procedure. We plead guilty, but at the same time we have the necessity for the amount.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Vadakkancheri):* Compromises, that process Sir, I hate. First compromise, leads to the second and then landing yourself in a mire. I object to it.

Rao Bahadur T. K. Nayar *(Prime Minister):* Yes, Sir, we may postpone it, for the next meeting.

Mr. President: The next item is consideration of the report of the Public Accounts Committee.

4. REPORT OF THE PUBLIC ACCCUNTS COMMITTEE— CONSIDERATION OF—

Raising of a Point of Order by Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Vadakkancheri):* On that also, Sir, I raise a point of order namely that this printed report was placed on our table—voluminous as it is, but clearly printed—only very late, I believe it is yesterday. Even if it is one week before, I will object

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